

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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VEHICLE AC GENERATOR WITH RECTIFIER DIODE PACKAGE DISPOSED

BETWEEN COOLING PLATES

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

For:

In response to the Office Action dated December 9, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

## **IN THE CLAIMS:**

## Please add the following new claims:

20. (New) A vehicle AC generator comprising:

a case;

a shaft journaled in the case;

a rotor secured to the shaft so as to be disposed in the case;

a stator supported by the case so as to be disposed to cover the external periphery of the rotor;